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Applicant	: Wayne E. Cornish et al.	
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is made to the Office Action dated July 13, the response to which is due on October 15, 2007.

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